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I am instructed by the Mortgagee to sell by public auction at the Salesroom, Store st., opposite the Depot of the E. & N. Railway,

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On Tuesday, the 16th instant,

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For particulars apply to J. J. SOUTHGATE, or Messrs. LOWENBERG, HARRIS & CO., No. 41 Government street, Victoria.

4th July, 1889. july5-2w

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT L. Mongkow, alias Sen Chow, has left the employ of the King Tye Co., this 9th day of July, 1889, and is not authorized to transact any business for the said firm. Lung Yung has been appointed instead of L. Mongkow.

KING TYE CO.,
Per Wong Soy Chu, Manager.

Victoria, July 9, 1889. july9-2w

NOTICE.

A RED BULL, OWNER UNKNOWN, is under arrest at the premises of undersigned for damage to property. If not claimed within 10 days and costs paid will be sold to pay expenses under the "Breeding Stock Act, 1876."

J. D. PEMBERTON,
8th July, 1889. Gonzales Farm.

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139 ACRES AT THE MOUTH OF THE Courtenay river, the property of Anthony Maitland stenhouse, ex-M.P.P. These lands are half a mile from the centre of the proposed town site, have an extensive water frontage and afford excellent shooting and fishing. They will be sold in one or two lots at $15 and $20 per acre, according to situation. Apply to Lowenberg, Harris & Co., Government street, Victoria, who have the patent and map, or to George G. McDonald, Elk Hotel, Comox. jy9-1t

CARD OF THANKS.

JACOB SEHL BEGS TO TENDER HIS most sincere thanks to his neighbors, members of the Fire Department and others who kindly assisted in saving his residence from destruction by fire on the afternoon of the 4th of July. july5

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July7

THE POWDER MAGAZINES.

Their Owners Arraigned Yesterday in the Provincial Court.

In the provincial court yesterday, Edwin Johnson, Q. C., S. M., presiding, Richard Hall was charged with keeping explosives stored in a magazine situate within two miles of the limits of Victoria.

Mr. Hall appeared on his own behalf, and stated that he was not aware whether or not there was powder in the magazine. He refused to admit the charge.

Officer Miller deposed to visiting the magazine in question, which is at Victoria West, about half a mile from the city. He there saw four cases, marked "Safety Blasting Powder" on one side and "Explosive" on the other, in the possession of Mr. Hall. In the magazine saw 240 other similar cases, as well as several kegs marked "Gunpowder." Supposed that the magazine in all contained about 4,000 pounds of explosive. Did not see that the building was marked "Powder Magazine." The defendant informed him (witness) that all the explosive stuff would be removed.

Defendant interposed that he was willing to admit that the powder had been taken away, as his firm were going out of the business which was not a profitable one.

Permission having been given, the plea of "Not Guilty" first recorded was withdrawn, and his Honor expressed the opinion that the admission of the defendant that the stuff was in the magazine, but had been removed and would not be again stored there, might militate against a heavy penalty.

Judgment was, however, reserved until the hearing of other cases of a similar nature were concluded.

William Gordon, representing the Hamilton Powder Co., was next charged with the same offence.

Through his counsel, Mr. S. Perry Mills, he pleaded "Not Guilty."

The evidence was taken of Officer Miller, J. Leech, who testified that the magazine was 1½ miles from the city; James Morrison, caretaker of the magazine; James Baker, and H. J. Scott, who stated that Mr. Gordon was the Victoria manager of the Hamilton Powder Co.

Mr. Mills said he had instructions from Dr. Brainerd, president of the Hamilton Powder Co., to enter court and raise certain objections, the first of which would be to decide whether Mr. Gordon was defendant or the Hamilton Powder Co. The magazine was also in existence in 1884, before the present act pertaining to explosives had been passed. At present work was going on about four miles from the city of Vancouver, amounting to an expenditure of about $100,000; should the local legislature make a new act to make that limit illegal it would infringe on vested rights; he would also show that the act when made in 1884, did not apply to existing magazines, and quoted from American authorities to substantiate his opinion; he contended that the same would apply here, and that when the building was erected it was lawful to use it as a magazine, and was in consequence exempt from action under the present statute, as authorities said it was not feasible to make a law to make punishable offences which were not formerly punishable; when the building was erected it was lawful to be used as a magazine, and now had vested rights in consequence, as retrospective law was not allowable.

His honor held that this was American law, and not upheld by the chief justice.

Mr. Mills said then that if the legislature liked, it could pass a law making the limit twenty miles, and in consequence the money expended by the company on works at Nanaimo or Vancouver would be worthless.

His honor said he was afraid it would be so if the members chose to vote for such an evil measure.

Mr. Mills held that the other point in regard to Mr. Gordon was that the offence was penal, and conviction must follow an information; it could not be shown that Mr. Gordon was either a lessee or manager of the powder company, and Mr. Gordon was not personally responsible; on the strength of this he would ask his honor to dismiss the case on this ground; this point he said was distinct from the other points of which he had spoken, but it must be remembered that whoever was sued must be personally liable.

The Court then adjourned until afternoon.

At 2 o'clock the case of Robert Ward, charged with the same offence as the two previous parties, was called. Mr. Pooley, Q. C., appeared for the defence and pleaded not guilty.

Evidence of an exhaustive nature was taken, and judgment in all three cases was held over for a week to allow of certain points of law being looked up.

ROYAL JUBILEE HOSPITAL.

Meeting of the General Committee—The Building Proceeding in a Satisfactory Manner.

A meeting of the general committee of the Royal Jubilee Hospital was held yesterday afternoon in the Bank of B. C. building.

Present: President Smith in the chair, Hon. Secretary W. Chudley, Messrs. John Teague, architect, Joshua Davies, Jas. Fell, J. D. Warren, Dr. McN. Jones and M. Strouss.

The minutes of last meeting were read and adopted.

A communication was received from Mr. C. E. Pooley, on behalf of Mrs. Dunsmuir and family, acknowledging receipt of resolutions of condolence.

A communication was also read from Mrs. Nelson acknowledging receipt of a resolution expressive of the thanks of the board for assistance rendered on occasion of the laying of the corner stone. Also a communication from John J. W. Trutch, expressing his pleasure at learning that the work was progressing.

Mr. James Dunsmuir was elected a member of the general committee.

The claim of Pickering & Crompton for £55 for amended plans, considered at previous meetings, was laid over till Mr. Pickering's arrival.

After a trifle more business was passed, the General Committee resolved into a meeting of the Building Committee.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and adopted.

Mr. Teague, architect, reported, "with the exception of the last pavilion, all other parts, viz., surgical and medical pavilions, administrative building, day rooms, and W. C. rooms and corridors are all enclosed, floors laid, lathed and ready for plaster. All the main piping connected with the plumbing, heating and ventilating are laid, the whole of which, I am glad to say, is done in a satisfactory manner, and I think within six weeks the whole structure will be up and the first coat of plaster on."

The second check for 25 per cent. in favor of the contractors, Elford & Smith, was drawn and signed.

A Close Call.

AFTER suffering for three weeks from Cholera Infantum so that I was not expected to live, and, at the time, would even have been glad had death called me, so great was my suffering, a friend recommended Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry, which acted like magic on my system, that for this medicine I would not be alive now. JOHN W. BRADSHAW.

sw1 393 St. Paul st., Montreal, P.Q.

CAPITAL NOTES.

A New Superior Court Judge for Quebec.

The Rifle Championship of Canada to be Contested.

A Case of Infraction of the Customs—Final Cabinet Meeting Before the Holidays.

[From Our Own Correspondent.]

OTTAWA, July 9.—A representative of the creditors of the Toronto firm which assigned after the establishment was seized by customs officers for defrauding the revenue, applied to the department to-day that the penalties imposed be refunded to the assignee for the benefit of the creditors on the ground that they had supplied the goods in good faith. Hon. Mr. Bowell said he had no power under the law to grant the request.

Mr. Lynch, an ex-Quebec minister, has been appointed superior court judge of Quebec.

The Royal Grenadiers of Toronto, who assumed the rifle championship of Canada, without having earned it, has received challenges from the 43rd Ottawa and the 40th Bowmanville Battalions.

The last cabinet meeting was held yesterday, the ministers scattering for the holidays.

ATTEMPTED SUICIDE.

James L. Stein, Bookkeeper of the Vancouver "World" Office, Fires Five Shots into His Body.

VANCOUVER, July 9.—A most determined attempt at suicide was committed early this morning in a house on Homer street, by James L. Stein, who has been bookkeeper in the World office for the past six months. He fired five shots into his person, three of which entered within a quarter of an inch of his heart, one in the mouth and one in the forehead, but which did not penetrate the skull. This shot was first fired, after which he lay stunned for some time. On recovering the other attempts were made, without proving immediately successful. Strange to say, no one heard the shots. He was found in his room at half-past five o'clock this morning very weak. He stated he was suffering great pain, but was quite sensible. He gives no reason for the deed. Of late he has been drinking somewhat. He came from St. John, N. B., and had since his arrival here been considered a most steady and respectable young man, who attended strictly to his post of duty. He is about twenty-eight years of age. It is feared there are no hopes of his recovery, though much improved since early this morning. He now desires to live.

10 p.m.—Steen is resting easily tonight, though suffering much. No attempt was made to extract the five bullets. The doctors hardly hope for his recovery. The cause of the rash act is unknown. It is believed to have been committed during a fit of temporary insanity, though to-day he is quite sensible. The Oddfellows are rendering him all fraternal services. The crisis comes to-morrow. Much sympathy is felt for the young man, who belongs to St. John, N.B. He was highly esteemed by all the members of the "World" staff. He holds a non-forfeitable insurance in the equitable for $3,000.

THE 16-INCH MAIN.

A Trip Over the Route Followed by the Steel Main—The Work That Is Being Carried On—Necessity for a Purer Source of Supply.

A representative of THE COLONIST yesterday afternoon took a trip over the line of the 16-inch steel main, accompanied by Ald. Coughlan, Chairman of the Water Committee, and Water Commissioner Summerfield. The trio took a hack to the point on the continuation of Cook street, beyond Hillside avenue, where the steel main connects with the 12-inch iron pipe. A walk was made from here to the Saanich road, a distance of about two and a half miles. The pipes on this portion are those first turned out by the contractors, and instead of caulking and chipping at the works, it is being done on the line. The pressure along here is said to be about fifteen pounds to the square inch, and where the pipes have not been treated the water is shooting from them in jets in all directions, causing the escape of a large quantity of water and a considerable diminution in the pressure in the city. When the first pipes laid were tested by turning the water into them from the Hillside valve, the leakages then shown were stopped, but since the pressure was put on from the dam others have shown themselves. About a dozen men are at work near the Saanich road, chipping and caulking, and are rapidly closing up the leaks. Where they have worked so far there is not a trace of water escaping from the pipes, and it is claimed by the water commissioner that when the work of chipping and caulking is completed the pipes will be equally as good as those which were sent out later.

From Hillside to the Saanich road the right of way has been purchased for a width of forty feet and fenced on both sides. Instead of laying the pipe a few inches deep, a good grade has been followed throughout, and where necessary deep earth and rock excavation has been made. There is thus secured an evenness of pressure and friction throughout. It is intended to make the right of way passable for vehicles; in fact the road is an excellent route for the farmers and a shorter cut to Victoria than by the Saanich road. The pipe is exposed all along the line.

After reaching the Saanich road, the pipe follows this highway about two miles to beyond the Royal Oak inn, where it again leaves the road, and follows a forty-foot right of way for about three-quarters of a mile to the dam, in several places passing under the old twelve-inch main, which is but a few inches under the sod. A ravine has to be crossed just before the dam is reached and a trestle work strong enough to carry a railway train has been built. The pipe runs along this. Room has been left in the last stretch of 1,300 feet for another sixteen-inch main, which it is proposed to run from the dam to the road, taking up the old twelve-inch iron main and placing it down again on the Fernwood road.

From where the sixteen-inch main strikes the Saanich road to the dam there is comparatively little leakage in the pipes, and these can be stopped with very little work. The last mile of piping is the best of all, and for long distances there is no leak noticeable.

The leaks are generally where the three sheets of metal come together, and occasionally along the riveting. By chipping and caulking in the same way as steam boilers are treated, the leakages are, it is contended, permanently stopped.

The route followed by the new main is about five miles, and is the most direct that could be found. There will be the advantage of having a roadway its entire length, rendering it possible to rapidly get at and repair any break that may occur. The work all along the line seems to have been well done. The pipe is placed on a good bed, and where the line is on the surface a bed of stones has been laid, and the sides protected with the same material. All that remains to be done is to close up all the leaks in the pipe and a supply of water exceeding the demand for all purposes will be booming into the city.

The swamp, called by courtesy Beaver Lake, from which the city's supply is at present taken, would convince anyone looking at it, of the necessity of constructing works that will bring the water to the filter beds direct from Elk lake. Decayed vegetable matter is floating on, and growing underneath and around are the usual noisome weeds that thrive in a first-class swamp. The original scheme of taking the supply direct from Elk lake should be carried out. At present it simply means that pure water is taken and drained through a foul swamp to the filter beds, where a portion of the impurities gathered in its journey through the aforesaid swamp are removed, and it is then passed on to the city.

On the return trip Water Commissioner Summerfield stated that the sum so far paid out for excavation, right of way, fencing, bridging, etc., was something over $31,000, about $2,000 being due on right of way, and what was accruing due on account of work now being done. The chipping and caulking of course was carried on by and at the expense of the contractors. They had only been paid the first instalment on their contract, the sum agreed to be handed over on the arrival of the material in Victoria. No certificate had so far been granted for pipes laid, and such would not be done until the pipes were placed in a satisfactory condition.

BOARD OF SCHOOL TRUSTEES.

The first regular meeting of the new board of school trustees was held last evening; present, Messrs. Hayward, Heisterman, Erskine, Mallandaine, Dr. Morrison and Col. Wolfenden.

Col. Wolfenden announced that the following trustees had been elected since the last regular meeting: Mr. Mallandaine, for James Bay ward; Mr. Erskine, for Johnson street ward; and Mr. Hayward, for Yates street ward.

On motion of Dr. Morrison and Mr. Erskine, Mr. Charles Hayward by unanimous vote was re-elected chairman of the board for the ensuing year.

Mr. Heisterman moved, seconded by Mr. Erskine, that Col. Wolfenden be re-elected secretary. Carried.

Both chairman and secretary in accepting their offices, thanked the board for the confidence again reposed in them.

On motion, the rules of order adopted by the board in July, 1885, were adopted by the new board.

The secretary reported that the young ladies appointed as monitors had been assigned to the following positions: Miss Forsyth, to Spring Ridge school; Miss Lörimer, to James Bay school; Miss Kermode, to Rock Bay school, and Miss Withrow, to Hillside school.

COMMUNICATIONS.

From Miss Gowen, tendering her resignation as teacher of the Hillside ward school. Received and accepted.

Mr. Erskine moved, seconded by Mr. Heisterman, that in accepting the resignation of Miss Gowen, the Board express its high appreciation of the valuable service rendered by Miss Gowen during the time in which she has been connected with the teaching staff of Victoria.

From D. E. Kerr, tendering his resignation as teacher of the second division of the boys' school.

On motion of Mr. Heisterman and Dr. Morrison, the resignation was accepted with regret, and the secretary instructed to tender to Mr. Kerr their high appreciation of his past services.

On motion it was decided to hold a special meeting on Tuesday evening next, for the purpose of receiving applications for the two vacant positions.

FINANCE.

On motion of Mr. Erskine and Dr. Morrison, the following were named as a finance committee for the year: Mr. Heisterman, Col. Wolfenden and Mr. Hayward.

An account of $12.50, presented by the Standard Newspaper Co., was read and referred to the finance committee for payment, if correct.

THE SECRETARY'S REPORT.

Col. Wolfenden presented the report of the various city schools, with the result of the midsummer examinations. It was shown that the standard of excellence was never before so high in the city schools, as shown by the recent examinations.

On motion, this summary of the term work was received and ordered to be entered in full upon the minutes.

ATTENDANCE FOR JUNE.

The number of pupils attending during the month of June was reported to be 1302, the average daily attendance 1,025.25, or an average per teacher of 48.82.

Mr. Heisterman stated that the new filter was now here, and might be seen by any member of the Board. It would, he thought, give every satisfaction.

On motion the secretary was authorized to have the names of those upon the roll of honor placed upon the board in the High School.

In reply to Mr. Erskine, the chairman stated that good progress was being made in regard to the opening of ashnew street at the foot of the school reserve.

Col. Wolfenden stated that Hon. Mr. Robson's attention having been called to the necessity of making certain alterations in the arrangement of the rooms of the central school, the necessary work would be proceeded with without delay. The expense involved would be in the neighborhood of $100.

Mr. Heisterman moved, seconded by Dr. Morrison, that the education department be requested to cause teachers of every department of the city schools to teach at least once a week the club swinging exercises, so ably shown by Miss Todd's pupils. Carried.

The chairman thought it would be well for the generous public to offer prizes for the best club swinging. It would be a good way to encourage club swinging in the schools.

The board adjourned until Tuesday evening next at the usual hour.

Queer Rumors About Kilrain.

NEW ORLEANS, July 9.—Kilrain did not seem to be feeling the effects of his punishment much this morning. There are queer rumors about him. After arriving at the clubhouse last night he vomited a greenish substance, some of which has been kept for analysis. It is learned that for some time previous to the fight he had been taking medicine for some ailment. Dr. Dougherty, of Philadelphia, was treating him. The Doctor says it was for a "boil." Mike Donovan says he knew nothing about it previous to the fight. There seems to be no doubt that Mitchell knew it.

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CABLE NEWS.

The Queen and Prince of Wales Chagrined

At the Treatment Accorded them in the Commons.

The American Rifle Team Shoots for the Albert Cup—Death of Prince Nicholas.

The Royal Grants Committee.

LONDON, July 9.—In the House of Commons this evening, Mr. William Henry Smith, first lord of the treasury, moved for the appointment of a committee on royal grants, proposing that the committee consist of twenty-three members. Dillwyn, Liberal, proposed to make the membership twenty-five, by adding the names of two radical members, thus wiping out the majority of the supporters of the government. Smith contended that the government should have a majority on the committee, and that in this claim they were supported by all precedents. Gladstone supported Smith in this contention, and Mr. Bradlaugh spoke in favor of the amendment. It was finally rejected by 300 to 105.

The Question of Royal Grants.

LONDON, July 9.—The Queen and Prince of Wales are very much chagrined at the treatment accorded them in the Commons in referring the whole question of dowries for the young princes and princesses to a committee on royal grants. The Government, having been forced by the threat of a determined Liberal opposition to accept the royal grants committee, now finds itself antagonized by the leading Tories, who object to the whole committee business. Under threat of revolt they have already extorted from William Henry Smith a promise that the cases of the children in direct line of succession to the throne shall not be included within the scope of the committee's enquiry.

The American Rifle Team.

LONDON, July 9.—Several members of the Massachusetts rifle team entered for the Albert Cup contest to-day and Johnston won a minor prize with a score of 32, the winner of the cup making 33. The firing was at a 200 yards range, 7 shots each. Hinman and Huddleston made 31 each, Private Bell 30, Hussey and Farrow 29 each and Eddes 27.

Death of Prince Nicholas.

LONDON, July 9.—Prince Nicholas of Mingrelia, once a prominent candidate for the Bulgarian throne, is dead.

Evictions in Galway.

DUBLIN, July 9.—Evictions continue on the Clanricard estate in Galway, battering rams being freely used.

SALMON RUNNING NORTH.

Good Reports From Northern Canneries—Full Packs Probable at all Points—The Fleet Passed in Queen Charlotte Sound.

The C. P. N. Co.'s steamer Sardonyx, Capt. Myers, arrived down from northern ports yesterday afternoon.

On the Naas river A. J. McLellan had put up 2,500 cases, Findlay, Durham & Brodie 600 cases for two day's fishing, and the Cascade Packing 300 cases for one day's fishing.

On the Skeena river the salmon are running well, and the canneries are putting up from 400 to 700 cases daily. The B. A. P. Co. lead so far with 5,000 cases, and Gus Holmes writes that he expects a large pack, as there will probably be three weeks' good fishing. Another consignment of 600 cases was shipped from the B. A. P. Co.'s cannery. The Windsor Canning Co., the "Diamond C." and other canneries had about 3,000 cases each.

At Rivers Inlet and Alert Bay the fish were running freely; at the former the two canneries had about 500 cases each for two day's fishing. The Alert Bay Canning Co. had put up 1,500 cases when the steamer left.

The Sardonyx brought down consignments of furs for the H. B. Co. and for A. J. McLellan.

The trip was an uneventful one. On Monday, the Sardonyx passed the "Swiftsure," "Amphion" and "Icarus" in Queen Charlotte Sound and each fired three guns in salute. Soon after the war ships were passed the U. S. fish commission steamer "Albatross" was sighted and saluted. All were steaming north. Fine warm clear weather was experienced during the whole trip.

The steamer Boscowitz was passed on Monday at Alert Bay, where she was taking on lumber. Following were passengers down by the Sardonyx: Miss Gertrude Moore, Mrs. Meyer and family, Miss Hart, Miss Johnson, A. J. McLellan, D. F. Fee, Jr., William Brown, F. S. Roper, D. Campbell, J. Smithers, H. Knowles, A. Donaldson, Louis Wolfe, Tom Gamble, S. Munson.

SPORTS AND PASTIMES.

THE HOSE TEAM.

The challenge printed in THE COLONIST on Tuesday from the Victoria hose team to the Vancouver hose teams was dispatched yesterday to Vancouver. The local competitors will go into active training for the event, and if it comes off, may be trusted to give a good account of themselves.

BOXING.

Matters regarding the Cleary-Austin contest or exhibition are still in "status quo," and since the fizzle at Cadboro Bay, very little in the way of business has been heard from either of the principals. It is doubtful whether the men will ever meet.

LACROSSE.

It is thought probable that the Victoria Lacrosse Team will try conclusions with the Westminster club on the occasion of the Provincial Exhibition. The match if played will no doubt form one of the chief attractions of the festival for which our friends of the Royal City are preparing.

The Columbian says: "The Victoria and Westminster lacrosse clubs will cross sticks in the Royal city in the course of a few weeks. Our lacrosse club is practicing steadily and it is hoped that when the day of the match arrives the team will be sufficiently strong to give the visitors an interesting game."

DRUNK AGAIN.

A despatch from New Orleans says that John L. Sullivan drank quite freely yesterday afternoon, and when he reached his room in the evening he was so much under the influence of liquor that four policemen were stationed outside to see that he did not do any damage. It is stated that he will start for New York to-day, if sober.

THE RIFLE.

The committee of the B. C. Rifle Association who were appointed to look after a range upon which to hold the annual meeting, visited Colwood and located a very suitable one on the property of A. Pratt, near the line of the E. & N. Railway. It is understood that this range will be fitted up as a neutral range so that it will do away with the standing complaint of visiting teams that they are handicapped in shooting over a range with which their opponents are familiar. It is to be hoped that final arrangements will soon be completed.

CHALLENGE FROM M'LEOD.

Learning that D. H. Cameron is anxious to wrestle me, I hereby challenge him to a match at catch-as-catch-can, best two in three falls, for $250 or $500. The match to take place four weeks from signing articles. I have deposited $50 with THE COLONIST as a forfeit to bind the match. If Mr. Cameron is so anxious for a match and feels so confident that he can throw me, let him come to the front and make arrangements for a match.

D. S. McLEOD.

Victoria, July 9th.

LITTLE LOCALS.

Remember the cricket club's concert to-night.

Nanaimo is preparing to enlarge her public hospital.

Call and examine our "Jewel" stoves and ranges. S. L. Kelly & Co.

Over 70 passengers bound for Sound ports arrived by the Islander last night.

An abundant crop of thistles are ripening throughout the country districts.

The JUBILEE RANGE, for wood or coal, for sale by McLennan & McFeely, 70 Yates street.

Lot No. 20 Beckley farm was sold yesterday through Bourchier & Higgins' agency for $575.

Tenders for the construction of a juvenile reformatory have been invited by the Provincial government.

The sockeye run has commenced in the Fraser, and Chinamen are swarming from all points to the canneries.

Delegates to the Masonic Grand Lodge should sit for photos at Hall & Lowe's before returning home.

The summer night festival at the Caledonian grounds on Saturday evening next, promises to be a big success.

An uneventful runaway brought the residents on Fort street to their front doors at about 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon.

Wanted — Potter that understands making sewer pipes, etc. Apply J. W. Keller. 1 mo

Empty houses are at a premium in Victoria, and new residences built for rent, are engaged almost as soon as started.

Davidson Bros. gave a very good tight rope performance on Government street near the postoffice last evening. They also passed the hat.

Work on the Mission railway bridge will be resumed in a few days. An immense quantity of lumber and timber is on hand for the job.

The city was filled with smoke from bush fires last evening. The glare of the fires could be plainly seen from Beacon Hill.

Rev. Dr. Ormiston, who recently visited Victoria, has accepted a call to the Presbytorian Church, Los Angeles county, Southern California.

The "Outing" club of the Y. M. C. A. met at the association rooms last evening, and walked to Swan Lake. The ramble was enjoyed by all.

The steamer Empire, from San Francisco for Nanaimo, was nine days out yesterday. It is believed she put into some bay along the coast for shelter.

It is estimated that between $1,000 and $2,000 changed hands in this city on the Sullivan-Kilrain fight. The betting was at odds of two or three to one in favor of Sullivan.

The best plan for keeping butter, meat, milk, etc., sweet and clean in hot weather is to get a refrigerator from McLennan & McFeely, Yates street.

Engineer Donovan, of the steamer Stella, was drowned in Canoe Pass on Sunday. The body was recovered on Monday and taken to Westminster, where an inquest was held.

The city aldermen meet as usual this evening. Among the business to come up for discussion will be the question of the city's contribution toward the payment of teachers' salaries.

A young girl of 11 or 12 years of age can obtain a good position as nurse girl for an infant where there are no other children, by applying to "F," this office.

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CONSTITUTION MAKING.

Conventions in North and South Dakota, Washington Territory, and Montana are now engaged in the business of constitution-making. The delegates have in hand work of the most important kind. It is for them to consider many very important questions, questions which have engaged the attention of experienced and thoughtful men not only of many States of the Union but of many nations of the world. The people of some of the territories seem determined that when the countries they respectively inhabit become self-governing states they shall have constitutions superior to those of the old-fashioned commonwealths. They are bound that the most advanced political theories shall be embodied in some of the new constitutions.

Some political thinkers have come to the conclusion that government by bare majorities is rough, crude and unfair. They believe that justice should be done to minorities, that they should be represented in the councils of the country. The people of some of the Territories which are soon to become States have made up their minds that their new constitutions shall contain some provision for the representation of minorities. How the representation is to be arranged so that minorities shall have power in proportion to their numerical strength is a problem which they do not know how to solve, but they have faith to believe that it can be solved. Any scheme to effect that purpose which has as yet been tried has a tendency to give the minority much more power than it is, on arithmetical principles, entitled to. This is a result that must be avoided, for if it is unjust to rule the country by a bare majority, completely ignoring the minority, let it be ever so considerable and worthy of consideration, it is still more unjust to give the country a scheme of minority representation so very ingenious that it will take power out of the hands of the majority and place it in those of the minority. If rule by majorities is bad, rule by minorities is still worse. It can be readily seen that those conventions which are required to devise an equitable and workable scheme of minority representation have a contract on hand which will require all the political wisdom the delegates possess, and, we fear, a little more, to perform satisfactorily. This minority representation principle sounds very well in theory, but when it comes to be reduced to practice the most unlooked-for results are brought about.

In one of the new States, North Dakota, woman suffrage is to be made constitutional. The ladies are to be emancipated once for all, and it is to be put out of the power of legislatures ever again to transform them into political nullities. A party in that territory favors placing the railroads under government control, the abolition of the contract system as applied to public works, and the election of all public officials.

The question of a single chamber will come up before the conventions. Is a State Senate necessary, is a question which some of the electors are ready to decide in the negative. Many consider that one legislative body is quite sufficient and that the second is something of the nature of a fifth wheel to a coach. The kingdom of Greece gets on fairly well with one chamber, the largest province of the Dominion of Canada has dispensed with the second chamber without any disastrous result, and we hear no one in this province sighing for a second chamber either nominative or elective. It is said that there are statesmen in France who are of the opinion that if the Senate of that Republic were abolished, the machinery of government would not be irretrievably impaired. In Great Britain there is talk of doing away with the House of Lords, but it is only the hereditary principle that the agitators complain of. There are very few who desire the total abolition of a second chamber, though the powers exercised by the House of Commons make the Upper Chamber of less and less importance as time rolls on. There are even in this Dominion revolutionists who do not scruple to declare that the Senate is a useless and unnecessary body and that the sooner it is abolished the better. So we see that if any of the new States are determined on trying to get along with only one legislative chamber they will find many in both the new and the old world ready to commend them for their decision.

North Dakota, which seems to contain more political thinkers of the advanced type than any of the other incipient States, seems bound to make another change which many will regard as an improvement. It is proposed to have the two United States senators to which the State will be entitled elected directly by the people. In all the other States, as far as we know, the United States Senators are elected by a vote of the Legislature. It is admitted that this mode of selecting Senators is a fruitful source of corruption in States both new and old. Corruption might be practised, but not so readily, if the senators were elected directly by the people.

The mode of election in most of the states does not give satisfaction. It is said that the ballot is not really secret, and that the mode in vogue of distributing ballot papers, opens the door wide for bribery and fraud. One of the proposed provisions of the constitution of the State of Washington is an absolutely secret ballot. To show what some of our immediate neighbors to the south regard as necessary for the good government of their state, we insert the proposition which a large number of the electors ask the delegates to embody in the constitution. Here they are:—

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It will be seen from what we have written that the conventions which met on the 4th of this month have work of very great moment to perform. That they are not prepared to adopt the constitutions of the older states without alteration speaks well for their independence and their intelligence, but it seems to us that some of them are a little reckless and are disposed to try experiments in constitution making without sufficient grounds for concluding that the result will be for the general good.

A DIFFERENCE OF OPINION.

Mr. Gladstone's tour, as might have been expected, is differently viewed by the different parties. All agree that it was wonderfully successful in one respect. The crowds that assembled to see and to hear him were everywhere very large and very enthusiastic. Naturally everyone in the provinces when he had the opportunity, whether he agreed with him or not, wanted to see the man about whom he had read and heard so much. The veteran political campaigner of eighty is one of the wonders of the age. Let him appear anywhere in the civilized world and crowds will flock to have a look at him, and to hear, if possible, what he has to say. His most bitter opponents and those who strongly disapprove of his policy, would be as eager to see the wonderful old man as his most ardent admirers. We can readily understand, therefore, how those who disagree with Mr. Gladstone are not inclined to believe that the thronged streets and crowded halls were evidences of Mr. Gladstone's popularity, or that they show that the people of the southwest of England have changed their minds on the subject of Home Rule for Ireland. The proportion of the crowds who took advantage of his visit to have a holiday, and who were actuated by mere curiosity, must have been very large. How large, it is, of course, difficult to say. The Liberal Unionists ask for evidence of the conversion to his views of any considerable number among the constituencies. They point to the fact that no man of standing in that part of the country has avowed himself a convert to the Gladstone policy as proof that there has been really no change in public opinion. If there had been any converts, they would have been quickly paraded before the nation, but as none have been named they consider themselves warranted in concluding that none have been made.

The Gladstonians, on the other hand, regard their leader's enthusiastic reception in the stronghold of the Liberal Unionists as strong evidence that a majority of the people approve of his policy, and they predict that, when the general election comes off, the number of his supporters in that part of the kingdom will be very greatly increased. Time alone can tell who are right. Just at present both Liberal Unionists and Gladstonians have good grounds for the conclusions at which they have arrived. When the next elections are held it will be seen whether the crowds which made Mr. Gladstone's progress through the southwestern counties of England an apparent triumph moved by an intelligent curiosity, or by approval of the Gladstone policy.

A WARRIOR SALVATIONIST.

The New Mahdi, Abdullah, appears to be a kind of Salvation Army General. He evidently is solicitous about the souls of those who oppose his ambitious schemes. He seems particularly desirous that Queen Victoria should embrace what he regards as the only true faith. He thinks that Her Majesty is too good a woman to be an infidel. He is determined to give her a chance to become a Mahommedan before he destroys her utterly. With this view he has written her a letter, which he no doubt regards as a merciful call to the unconverted. As it is a curiosity in its way, we cannot resist the temptation of placing it before our readers. Here it is:—

"In the name of God, the most high, mighty, merciful and compassionate, and Mohammed, his prophet, from his successor, the most faithful Abdullah, to Malaka, Queen Victoria of England:

"This is the second letter I have written you. We hear you are held in high reputation among your servants and subjects, and we are pleased that on all sides we have received good reports of you. We therefore counsel you in an amicable manner at once to embrace the true faith. In that case be assured of our sincere friendship, and be certain that you may rely on our support and assistance on all occasions. But we recommend you at once to withdraw your forces from the land of Egypt, lest they be destroyed by us, with all unbelievers and infidels who remain disobedient to our mandate. Behold, we come quickly with immense armies to punish the obstinate. Those that are disobedient will be utterly swept away, but we shall be merciful to all those who recant their errors and embrace the true faith."

The patronising way in which this saintly warrior of the desert addresses the Queen of Great Britain and the Empress of India, we are afraid, did not impress Her Majesty favorably, for we read she caused the letter to be returned to Abdullah, though it would appear, not until after it was read. The Mahdi no doubt believes that she has missed a great opportunity for, like all fanatics, he firmly believes that he and those who think like him are right and every one else is wrong. Now that we think of it, we are a little surprised that he would go to such trouble to convert a woman, for women in a religious sense, are of very little account among Mohammedans. It is more than likely that he will attribute her disregard of his kind invitation to the inability of any woman rightly to appreciate the beauty and the grandeur of the Mohammedan religion. He most probably wonders that the high and mighty tone which he adopts with respect to the evacuation of Egypt did not make the impression he intended. Will he attribute this too to the weakness and frivolity of the female mind? We are afraid he will. He may, however, find out when he attempts to execute his threat that England is not so timid or so weak as he expects her to be.

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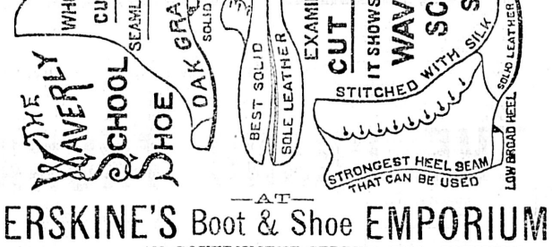

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PROPERTY FOR SALE.

IN THE SUPREME COURT
—OF—
BRITISH COLUMBIA.
CAMERON vs. HARPER
Sale of Defendant's Estate.
TENDERS
are invited for the purchase of the whole of the Estate of the Defendant in British Columbia, consisting of about
40,000 Acres
OF FREEHOLD LAND,
with Cattle, Horses, Agricultural Implements, etc., either *en bloc* as a going concern, or in parcels.
Tenders to be delivered (Sealed)
to the undersigned on or before the
1st day of August, 1889,
endorsed "Tenders for the purchase of the Estate of Thaddeus Harper."
For Full Details
of lands, chattels and Terms of Sale, etc.,
SEE CATALOGUES,
with Particulars and Conditions of Sale, which can be obtained from Mr. CHARLES WILSON, solicitor for plaintiff; from Messrs. DRAKE, JACKSON & HELMCKEN, solicitors for the defendant; and from the Offices of the "COLONIST," and "Times," Victoria, the "World," Vancouver, the "Inland Sentinel," Kamloops, the "Oregonian," Portland, Oregon, the "Bulletin," San Francisco, California, and the British Columbia Land Investment Agency (limited), 15 Serjeants' Inn, Fleet street, London, E.C., England, and from the undersigned.
H. S. MASON,
J. C. PREVOST,
je4 Receivers.

Alberni Townsite.
SALE OF LOTS
With a view to meet the present requirements of the District of Alberni, a small Townsite has been laid out on the left bank of the River Somas, between Kit-sa-sus River and Roger Creek.
Plans and particulars can be obtained at Alberni, at the stores of either Messrs. W. P. Sayward or H. Saunders; or at Victoria from Matthew T. Johnston, Esq., the attorney for the proprietors.
11th June, 1889. je12-1m

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NOTICES.

In the Supreme Court of British Columbia.
NOTICE TO CREDITORS.
Re ELWYN, Deceased.
PURSUANT TO A DECREE OF THE Supreme Court of British Columbia, made in the matter of the Estate of Thomas Elwyn, deceased, and in a cause of W. & J. Wilson and C. E. Redfern, on behalf of themselves and all other the creditors of the said Thomas Elwyn against Hamilton Moffatt. The creditors of the said Thomas Elwyn, late of the City of Victoria, who died on or about the 11th day of September, A. D. 1888, are, on or before the eleventh day of July, 1889, to come in and prove their claims at the office of the Registrar of the said Court, in the Court House, Bastion square, Victoria, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said decree. Thursday, the 18th day of July, 1889, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon at the said office, is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the claims.
Dated this 4th day of April, A. D. 1889.
JAMES C. PREVOST,
ap6-3m-dw Registrar.

NOTICE.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the Selkirk Mining and Smelting Company (Limited) have filed with me, under the provisions of the Mineral Acts, an application for a Crown grant of the "Lamarck" mineral claim in the Illecillewaet camp in West Kootenay District. Adverse claimants, if any, are required to send in their objections within sixty days from the date hereof.
G. M. SPROAT,
Farwell, 7th May, 1889. G. C., &c.
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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT, 60 days after date, I intend to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 160 acres of land situated at Kit-Kahta Bay near Wright Sound, Coast District, and described as follows: Commencing at a stake marked A, on the left bank of a small river and running east 20 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 20 chains, thence along the shore line and following the bank of the river back to point of commencement.
May 30, 1889. WILLIAM OLLIVER.
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In the Matter of the Foster Gold Mining & Milling Co., Limited, and the Winding Up Act.
TAKE NOTICE THAT BY ORDER OF the Supreme Court I shall offer the following described property for sale by tender:—
Three Mineral Grants, being Lots 101, 102 and 103, Lillooet District, containing the Foster Mine and the mill and mining materials, tools and implements now on the ground or in store, consisting of a ten stamp mill; four Duncan concentrators. A large amount of valuable work has been performed on the mine. The mine is on Kelly's Creek, 18 miles from Clinton. A wagon road has been opened to the property. There is a boarding house at the mine and every facility for continuing the works.
Tenders to be sent to me or Messrs. Drake, Jackson & Helmcken, Victoria, on or before the 12th July next, where a list of the articles, plan of the mine and assays of the ore can be seen.
J. A. TURNER, Liquidator,
je22-3w Wharf street, Victoria.

NOTICE.
IN LIQUIDATION.
The People's Steam Navigation Co., Ltd.
THE undersigned having been duly appointed Liquidator of the above named Company, all persons are notified to pay the amounts in which they are indebted to the Company to him only.
JAMES C. PREVOST.
6th June, 1889. je7

Dissolution of Co-Partnership.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT the firm of WILLIAMS & SMITH, Architects, of the City of Portland, Oregon, is this day dissolved by mutual consent, A. L. Smith retiring therefrom.
All work will be finished and the business continued at the old office by D. L. Williams and F. Williams, under the firm name of WILLIAMS & WILLIAMS, and they will collect all accounts and pay all liabilities of the old firm.
D. L. WILLIAMS.
F. WILLIAMS.
A. L. SMITH.
Portland, June 25th, 1889. je30

Estate of HARRIETT MORTON
IN LIQUIDATION.
Assignment for Benefit of Creditors.
To the Creditors of Harriett Morton, formerly carrying on business at Kamloops.
The trustee of the estate of the said Harriett Morton hereby gives notice to all persons having claims against her, that they are required to send full particulars thereof to the undersigned on or before the first day of August, 1889, after which day the trustee will proceed to pay these claims of which he then has notice, ratably, or in full if the assets shall thereto extend; and he further gives notice that he will not be liable for the proceeds of the estate or any part thereof to any creditor of whose claim he had no notice on the said first day of August, 1889.
Dated at Victoria, the 17th day of June, 1889.
CHARLES WILSON,
je18-6w Solicitor for the Trustee.

TRANSLATIONS.
ALL DOCUMENTS, PAPERS AND letters written in French, German, Italian, Spanish, Portuguese, Roumanian, Swedish, Danish, Dutch, Flemish, Russian, Polish, Bohemian, Servian, Bulgarian, Sclavonian, Lettu, Ancient and Modern Greek, can be translated in this city. Address—P. O. Box 774. mar7

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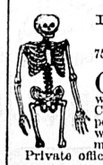
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TENDERS.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.
SEPARATE SEALED TENDERS WILL be received by the Honourable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, up to noon of Wednesday, 17th instant, for the construction of a brick building for a
JUVENILE REFORMATORY,
to be erected on the Gaol grounds, Victoria.
Also for the construction of a
CONSERVATORY
At Government House, Victoria.
Plans and specifications can be seen and forms for tender obtained at the office of the undersigned.
The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.
W. S. GORE,
Surveyor-Gen'l.
Lands and Works Dep't,
Victoria, B. C., 8th July, 1889. july9

NAVAL CONTRACTS
Fresh Beef, Mutton and Vegetables, Salt Beef and Suet, Soft Bread, Rice, Lumber, Firewood, Lime, Coffins and Graves.
TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED ON behalf of the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, until noon of Thursday, 1st August next, for supplying such quantities of the above named articles as may be required for Navy purposes, for one year certain from the 1st October next.
Their Lordships do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any tender, and they reserve to themselves the power of accepting any part of a tender.
Forms of Tender may be obtained at this office on written or personal application.
J. H. INNES,
Naval Storekeeper.
Royal Naval Yard,
Esquimalt, 1st July, 1889. jy3

To Contractors.
SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED by the Honourable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, up to noon of Wednesday, 10th July next, from persons experienced in well drilling who may be desirous of undertaking contracts from the Government for sinking one or more experimental Artesian Wells in Yale District, B. C., with a view to determining their value for purposes of irrigation.
Proposals must state clearly all conditions and terms, state the kind of apparatus proposed to be used, and give the names of two responsible residents of the Province who are willing to enter into a bond to secure the faithful carrying out of any contract which may be entered into.
Such information as may be in possession of the Lands and Works Department will be furnished on application to parties proposing to contract.
W. S. GORE,
Surveyor-Gen'l.
Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, B. C., 10th June, 1889. je14

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.
SEALED TENDERS will be received by the Honourable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, up to noon of Wednesday, 10th July, for additions and alterations to the Provincial Insane Asylum, at New Westminster.
Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted bank cheque for a sum equal to five per cent. of the amount of the tender, made payable to the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works. In the event of a contract being let the cheque will be retained as part security for the due performance of the work. The cheque will be returned to unsuccessful competitors, but will be forfeited by any bidder who may decline to execute a contract if called upon to do so.
Plans and specifications can be seen and forms for tender obtained at the office of Geo. W. Grant, Esq., Architect, New Westminster, or at the office of the undersigned.
The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.
W. S. GORE,
Surveyor-General.
Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, B.C., 19th June, 1889.
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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT the partnership hitherto existing between the undersigned as Manufacturers and Commission Agents, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. The business will in future be carried on by Thomas Bulman Pearson, under the name of T. B. Pearson & Co., who will be responsible for the debts of the late partnership and to whom all moneys due to the said late partnership must be paid.
Victoria, 11th June, 1889.
T. B. PEARSON,
Witness: J. PIERCY.
B. H. TYRWHITT DRAKE. je15-1m

NOTICE.
BETWEEN
DENNIS MURPHY, Plaintiff.
AND
BENJAMIN VAN VOLKENBURGH and Isaac Von Volkenburgh, trading under the firm name of Von Volkenburgh Bros. Defendants.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the order of Hon. Mr. Justice Crease, dated the 15th June instant, appointing James Charles Prevost, Receiver of the Estate of the said defendants, was this day discharged by the Hon. Mr. Justice Crease.
Dated, Victoria, 17th June, 1889.
je18 VAN VOLKENBURGH BROS.

NOTICE.
THE UNDERSIGNED WILL SELL HIS valuable Stock and Dairy Farm, 229 acres.
JAMES HABART.
Chemainus, May 12th, 1889. my12-3m

NOTICE.
I GIVE NOTICE that I have admitted Mr. Ernest V. Bodwell as a partner in my practice of a barrister and solicitor, which in future will be carried on under the firm name of "Davie & Bodwell."
Victoria, 11th June, 1889.
je 16 THEODORE DAVIE.

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AN INDIAN WEDDING.

How a Converted Sioux Couple Were Married at a Western Agency.

On we went, until quite abruptly we came upon a grove of trees, in the midst of which, following a winding path, we found the little chapel, writes Rosa T. Shelton in Chicago Advance. Small and rude in many ways, it had a quiet dignity, and we felt a solemnity as we approached it, listening to its bell which so regularly called from their sun and stone worship the Indian "children of the prairie." Inside the fading light came softly through the stained-glass windows, scarcely penetrating: making silhouettes of the faces, dark even in the sunlight.

Gradually our eyes became accustomed to the dim light, and we discovered a venerable Indian in his kindly way beckoning us forward to seats of honor just before the chancel. Indians are always kindly in their feelings toward those white men whom they can trust; warm-hearted and true are they to those whom they can prove their friends; more often is the smile seen than the frown, and only after bitter wrong does the cruel, savage part of their nature show itself. Treacherous they are not; suspicious, the white man has made them. Their true character is much distorted by us Eastern people, until we have lived among them.

Poor as was the little mission church, it still possessed a simple, embroidered altar-cloth, and the rector's chair was one of those made only for holy places. Gas was not known here, and wax candles were too costly, so the altar was lighted with simple kerosene, sending out feeble rays over the wooden benches below. A small cabinet organ stood at one side of the altar, but the wedding march would seem out of place at the simple Indian marriage, and was fittingly left out. Through those windows, which were open, tree boughs bent and rustled, and mosquitoes innumerable entered unforbidden. But what more suitable at a marriage of Nature's children, than that all nature, animate and inanimate, should lend a presence there.

The church gradually filled. Indian squaws with babies predominated in the audience. The sad-faced rector, in gown and surplice, entered with book in hand. The hour arrived, but the bride was late. The father of the bride came, leading a little boy, followed by the mother and three small children. The father wore his citizen's dress, with a handkerchief knotted around his neck; the mother came in her shawl, the most important detail of an Indian woman's dress.

After a dead silence, broken frequently by the noise of babies and dogs outside, there sounded at the door a shuffling of heavy boots, unlike the soft, soundless steps of Indian feet in moccasins, and Winona and Caske walked to the altar, side by side, but out of step and out of time, followed by bridesmaid and groomsman in like manner.

Winona was not yet sixteen years old, and like that of all Indian girls, her coiffure was simple. I mention that first since I noticed it first. The hair hung in a single braid over her shoulders, tied with a red ribbon in school-girl fashion. Her dress was short, of some dark stuff, the only adornment being a broad cotton lace collar around her neck. She wore a brown straw sailor hat and this completed her costume. The groom was dressed in ordinary citizen's clothes, a little the worse for wear.

They stood in bashful reverence while the rector stepped forward and read in the musical Dakota language the marriage ceremony. The responses were low and soft, almost indistinguishable even to us who were nearest.

A sadness came over me as I watched the girl-bride, for these Indian girls who marry white yet children so soon become old, wrinkled and haggard with hard work, when they should be strong and vigorous, in the prime of womanhood. And they are so ill prepared for the life awaiting them—no experience, no thought beyond the present! Yet this was a marriage of love, unlike the contracts made so often by the parents, in which those most concerned have no voice at all.

As they knelt in simple style for the heavenly benediction, even the dogs were silent, and the babies stopped crying; and quietly, side by side, they went out into the night—husband and wife.

It was a beautiful wedding because of its simplicity, and the lack of all things artificial; yet there seemed to be no gayety among the people, and no rejoicing for the happy ones. This might be because Indians seldom show inner thoughts and feelings. The deepest feelings never change a muscle of a face or an expression of an eye. Yet Indians are as capable of deep emotion as white men. This is proved by those who know them best.

But there were to be festivities. Upon these we dared not intrude. Rumors of a dog-feast came to us. Dog-flesh is their richest delicacy and they say: "Why not? You eat pig! Is dog worse than pig?"

As we left the little chapel it seemed a benediction in itself. No massive pillars nor marble altar found we there; little to show men's handiwork, but standing so simple and plain, in the very heart of nature, it seemed a living thing, whispering Christ's message: "Go ye into all the world and preach the Gospel."

NEAT NEW SCHEME.

One by Which an Artful Dodger Got Ahead of a Railroad Company.

As a New York Sun reporter stood in the crowd around the ticket-office in the Old Colony depot in Boston just before the train left for the Fall River boat, a woman pushed her way to the window and said: "A ticket to New York, please." At the same moment a man hurried up, and, slapping down his money, called out also "New York." The ticket agent took in one of the bids, shot out the ticket and the change, which the man hastily scooped up and darted away into the crowd. The woman stood waiting for her ticket, seeing that her money was gone, and finally ventured to remind the agent that it was almost time for the train to start.

"I gave you your ticket and change," said the man.

"Why," said the woman, "that's what I am waiting for. You attended that man before you did me, though I got here first."

The woman was positive the agent had taken in her money, and had given her no return for it, and the agent was equally positive that he had handled but one five-dollar bill. By this time the conversation grew heated, and the crowd was three deep, waiting for a chance at the window. The gong was almost sounding, and they grew restless as the dialogue grew more pointed and emphatic.

At last the ticket agent observed that the woman was crazy, to which she replied that perhaps she was, but she wanted her money and was going to have it. The matter was finally brought to an end by the woman getting a ticket shoved out to her.

The ticket agent said later that this was a new dodge, and he wouldn't be caught that way again. The artful dodger had waited his opportunity to come to the ticket window just as the woman stepped up, and after throwing out his money, to give her an impression of two bills lying on the counter, had jerked his bill back into his sleeve, seized the woman's ticket and change and made off with it, quickly losing himself in the crowd.

—"There is no difference whatever between the two political parties," remarked Chatterton. "They are both agreed on wanting the spoils!" "But don't you know, my dear fellow," returned Pegram, "that that agreement causes their greatest difference?"—Puck.

—"Is it possible for a person to think without words?" asks a correspondent. It is. Did you ever run your head against a half open door in the dark? And wasn't the brain preternaturally active for about six seconds before language got on deck?—Burlington Free Press.

—"What did you give for that horse, Uncle Ligah?" "For dat hoss? I gib de ole note I held again Parson Johnsing." "But what will Mr. Billars do with the note?" "Oh, he's gwine to git married next week an' he'll git hit off on de parson fo' de marriage fee. Seems to me hit's a shrewd piece o' business all 'round."—Drake's Magazine.

MISCELLANEOUS.

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I am going to tell you of the extraordinary change your CUTICURA REMEDIES performed on me. About the 1st of April last I noticed some red pimples like coming out all over my body, but thought nothing of it until some time later on, when it began to look like spots of mortar spotted on, and which came off in layers, accompanied with itching. I would scratch every night until I was raw, then the next night the scales, being formed meanwhile, were scratched off again. In vain did I consult all the doctors in the country, but without aid. After giving up all hopes of recovery, I happened to see an advertisement in the newspaper about your CUTICURA REMEDIES, and purchased them from my druggist, and obtained almost immediate relief. I began to notice that the scaly eruptions gradually dropped off and disappeared one by one, and have been fully cured. I had the disease thirteen months before I began taking the CUTICURA REMEDIES, and in four or five weeks was entirely cured. My disease was eczema and psoriasis. I recommended the CUTICURA REMEDIES to all in my vicinity, and I know of a great many who have taken them, and thank me for the knowledge of them, especially mothers who have babes with scaly eruptions on their heads and bodies. I cannot express in words the thanks to you for what the CUTICURA REMEDIES have been to me. My body was covered with scales, and I was an awful spectacle to behold. Now my skin is as nice and clear as a baby's.

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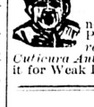

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The trains of the Esquimalt and Nanaimo Railway stop at the Hotel.

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MUNICIPAL.

TENDERS.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED AT the City Clerk's office up to

WEDNESDAY, the 10th INSTANT,

At 4 p. m., for the construction of CRIB-WORK on Dallas Road, near Beacon Hill Park.

Plans and specifications at the City Surveyor's office. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. By order,

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C. M. C.

City Hall, July 5th, 1889. july6

MUNICIPAL.

Notice to Hack Drivers and Expressmen.

OWNERS OF VEHICLES PLYING for hire in the City of Victoria are hereby requested to note the provisions of Sections 3 and 18 of the "Hirest Vehicle By-Law," appended below, and govern themselves accordingly:

"REGISTRATION OF VEHICLES.

"3. The owner of every vehicle used or standing or plying for hire for the carriage of passengers or goods shall register and at all times keep registered the same in his own name in the office of the Clerk of the Municipal Council, and obtain from the said Clerk a metallic badge bearing the number under which such vehicle is registered, together with a certificate in the form A hereto annexed of such registration, for which Certificate the said Clerk shall be authorized to demand and receive for the use of the Corporation a fee of one dollar, and which certificate and registration shall expire on the thirty-first day of December in the year of such registration; and no owner of any vehicle shall permit the same to be used, employed, or let for hire for the carriage of passengers or goods, nor shall any person drive or stand or ply for hire, with such vehicle unless it is so registered, and unless the metallic plate bearing the registered number aforesaid is affixed to some conspicuous part thereof. (No. 137, s. 1.)

PENALTIES.

18. Every person guilty of an infraction of any provisions of this by-law shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding fifty dollars, or to imprisonment for a term not exceeding one month. (No. 137, s. 16.)

By order,

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C. M. C.

City Hall, July 8, 1889. july9

MUNICIPAL POUND.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT one bay horse with a horse shoe brand on the left shoulder, will be sold at the Municipal Pound on the 13th inst., at 12 o'clock noon, unless sooner redeemed and pound charges thereon paid.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
july6 C. M. C.

The Aldermans Remuneration

BY-LAW.

WHEREAS, under and by virtue of the Municipal Act, 1889, it is enacted that the Council of every Municipality may from time to time make, alter or repeal By-Laws for (*inter alia*) paying the Aldermen out of the annual revenue a sum of money not exceeding Two Hundred Dollars ($200.00): Be it therefore enacted, by the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria, as follows:—

1st. There shall be paid to each Alderman for the time being of the said City of Victoria, out of the annual revenue of the said city, the sum of Two Hundred Dollars ($200.00).

2. This By-Law may be cited for all purposes as "The Aldermans Remuneration By-Law, 1889."

Passed the Municipal Council the 26th day of June, A. D. 1889.

Re-considered and finally passed the Council, this 3rd day of July, A. D. 1889.

JOHN GRANT,
[L.S.] Mayor.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
july5 C. M. C.

MUNICIPAL.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, PURsuant to section 5 of chapter 92 of the Revised Statutes of Canada, intituled "An Act respecting certain works constructed in or over Navigable Waters," that the Municipal Council of the City of Victoria, Province of British Columbia, has deposited with the Minister of Public Works of Canada, a plan and a description of a wharf or dock, to be used for sanitary purposes, situate at Ross Bay, at the said city, in the said province, and a duplicate of each, with the registrar of deeds for the said city of Victoria.

AND NOTICE IS ALSO HEREBY GIVEN, that application will be made, after the first day of August, 1889, to the Governor-in-Council for approval of said plan and work.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C. M. C.

Dated at Victoria, British Columbia, this 19th day of June, 1889. je20

MUNICIPAL NOTICE.

All consumers of water of Victoria City Water Works are requested to take notice that water for irrigating purposes shall be used during the irrigating season in the different wards of the city between the hours of 6 p.m. and 10 p. m. only on the respective days mentioned, namely: In Johnson Street Ward on Mondays and Thursdays; in Yates Street Ward on Tuesdays and Fridays; in James Bay Ward on Wednesdays and Saturdays. Any infractions of the above regulations will involve an immediate increase of the water rates of the parties concerned.

By order,

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C. M. C.

City Clerk's Office,
June 11th, 1889. je12

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Esquimalt & Nanaimo R'y

TIME TABLE No. 10.

To take effect at 8.30 a.m. on Saturday, March 30, 1889. Trains run on Pacific Standard Time.

GOING SOUTH.

READ UP.	No. 1 Passenger Mixed Daily.	No. 3 Passenger Saturdays & Sundays.	No. 5 Passenger Saturdays only.
STATIONS.			
VICTORIA	Ar 1.00 p.m.	Ar 5.00	
RUSSLIN JCT.	1.20	5.20	
ESQUIMALT	1.30	5.30	
GOLDSTREAM	12.23 p.m.	4.23	
SHAWNIGAN LK	11.28	3.38	
COBBLE HILL	11.16	3.16	
MERRIDALE	10.52	2.51	
GLENORA	10.47	2.46	
DUNCAN'S	10.17	1.51	
SOMENOS	10.32	1.36	
CHEMAINUS	10.06	1.14	
NANAIMO	De 9.05 / Ar 8.35	12.15	P.M. 8.00
WELLINGTON	De 8.35 a.m.	De 3.01 p.m.	Ar 7.45

GOING NORTH.

READ DOWN.	No. 2 Passenger Daily.	No. 4 Passenger Saturdays & Sundays.	No. 6 Passenger Saturdays only.
STATIONS.			
WELLINGTON	De 8.20 a.m.	De 3.32 p.m.	
NANAIMO	8.24	3.36	
CHEMAINUS	8.38	3.46	
SOMENOS	9.01	4.11	
DUNCAN'S	9.33	5.05	
GLENORA	10.05	5.16	
MERRIDALE	10.20	5.31	
COBBLE HILL	10.37	5.41	
SHAWNIGAN LK	10.42	5.46	
GOLDSTREAM	10.52	5.56	
ESQUIMALT	11.45	6.18	P.M. De 10.30
VICTORIA	Ar 12.15 p.m.	7.15	Ar. 10.45
RUSSLIN JCT.	De 12.29		
VICTORIA	Ar 12.44	Ar 7.31	

On Saturdays and Sundays

Return Tickets will be issued between all points for a single fare, good for return Monday.

Return Tickets for one and a half ordinary fare may be purchased daily to all points, good for three days, including day of issue.

No Return Tickets issued for a Single Fare, where such fare is twenty-five cents.

Through rates between Victoria & Comox.

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D. E. BROWN, Gov't St., Victoria, B.C
Asst. Gen'l Frt & Pass. Ag't, Vancouver. fe28

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Ass't Gen. Pass. Agt.,
121 First st., cor. Washington, Portland, Or.

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NOTICES.

TABLE

Showing the Dates and Places of Courts of Assize, Nisi Prius, and Oyer and Terminer, for the Year 1889.

SPRING ASSIZES.

[*On Vancouver Island.*]

Victoria	Monday ....20th May.
Nanaimo	Tuesday ....4th June.

[*On Mainland.*]

New Westminster	Wednesday.1st May.
Kamloops	Monday ....3rd June.
Clinton	Monday ....10th June.

FALL ASSIZES.

[*On Mainland.*]

Richfield	Monday ....9th Sept.
Clinton	Wednesday.25th Sept.
Kamloops	Monday ....7th Oct.
Lytton	Monday ....14th Oct.
New Westminster	Wednesday.13th Nov.

[*On Vancouver Island.*]

Victoria	Monday ....25th Nov.
Nanaimo	Tuesday ....3rd Dec.

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NOTICE.

SITTINGS of the County Court of Cariboo will be held at—

Lillooet	Thursday, 23rd May, 1889
Clinton	Saturday, 8th June, "
150-Mile House	Thursday, 27th June, "
Soda Creek	Saturday, 29th June, "
Quesnellemouth	Tuesday.. 2nd July, "
Richfield	Friday ... 5th July, "

By Command,

JNO. ROBSON,
Provincial Secretary.

Provincial Secretary's Office,
24th April, 1889. ap25-2m

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COLUMBIA RIVER ROUTE.

STEAMERS

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TACOMA AND VICTORIA.

The following schedule for the O. R. & N. Co.'s Steamers will be in effect until further notice:—

TACOMA—VICTORIA ROUTE.

Daily except Sunday.	Daily except Sunday.
Lv Tacoma - 7:00 a.m.	Lv Victoria - 6:00 a.m.
Ar Seattle - 9:15 a.m.	Ar Pt. Town'd 9:15 a.m.
Lv Seattle - 9:45 a.m.	Lv Pt. Town'd 10:00 a.m.
Ar Pt. Town'd 11:15 p.m.	Ar Seattle - 1:30 p.m.
Lv Pt. Town'd 12:00 p.m.	Lv Seattle - 6:45 p.m.
Ar Victoria 5:30 p.m.	Ar Tacoma, - 9:00 p.m.

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C. J. SMITH,
General Manager.

A. L. MAXWELL, Gen'l Pass. & Tkt. Agt.
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LEAVING VICTORIA ON

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The trip will embrace Bute and Knight Inlets, Douglas and Gardiner Channels, Skidegate, Masset, Port Simpson and other points of interest.

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july3 JNO. IRVING, Manager.

SHIP

DORIS BRODERSEN,

CAPT. NEILSEN,
From Liverpool.

NEITHER Capt. Neilsen nor the undersigned will be responsible for any debts contracted by the crew of the above vessel.

WELCH, RITHET & CO.,
Consignees.

Victoria, 2nd July, 1889. jy3

Consignees' Notice!

SHIP

DORIS BRODERSEN,

CAPT. NEILSEN,
From LIVERPOOL.

THIS VESSEL will discharge cargo at our wharf on Wednesday, 3rd July and following days.

Consignees are requested to present bills of lading at the office of the undersigned, pay freight and receive delivery orders for their goods.

All goods remaining on the wharf after 5 p. m. each day, and while on the wharf, will be at the risk of the consignees thereof, respectively, and may be stored at their expense.

WELCH, RITHET & CO.,
Consignees of Vessel.

Victoria, 2nd July, 1889. jy3

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Commencing

June 27th

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ISABEL

JAS. BENDRODT, Master.

On and after May 29,

the Steamer ISABEL will sail as follows,

CALLING AT WAY PORTS:

Lv Victoria for Nanaimo Wed'sday, 7.00 a.m
" Nanaimo " Comox, Thursday, 7.00 "
" Comox " Nanaimo, Friday, 7.00 "
" Nanaimo " Victoria, Saturday, 7.00 "

For freight or passage apply on board. feb5

Canadian Pacific NAVIGATION COMPANY, (Limited)

Time Table No. 11 Takes Effect March 23, 1889.

Vancouver Route:

Victoria to Vancouver—Daily, except Monday, at 2 o'clock, a m.

Vancouver to Victoria—Daily, except Monday, at 11:30 o'clock, or on arrival of C. P. R. No. 1 train.

New Westminster Route:

LEAVE VICTORIA for New Westminster, Ladner's, and Lulu Island—Sunday at 23 o'clock, Wednesday and Friday at 7 o'clock. (Sunday's steamer to New Westminster connects with C. P. R train No. 2, going east Monday.

For Plumper Pass—Wednesday and Friday, at 7 o'clock.

For Moresby Island—Friday at 7 o'clock.

LEAVE NEW WESTMINSTER for Victoria—Monday at 14:30 o'clock; Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock.

For Plumper Pass—Saturday at 7 o'clock.

Fraser River Route:

Steamers leave New Westminster for Hope and Way Landings every Wednesday.

For CHILLIWHACK and Way Landings every Monday and Saturday at 7 o'clock, during river navigation.

Northern Route:

Steamship SARDONYX will leave for Port Simpson and intermediate ports on the FIRST and FIFTEENTH of each month. When sufficient inducements offer will extend trips to West Coast points and Queen Charlotte Islands.

Barclay Sound Route:

Steamer MAUDE leaves Victoria for Alberni and Sound Ports when sufficient inducements offer.

The Company reserves the right of changing this Time Table without notication. Steamers leave by standard time.

JOHN IRVING, Manager.
G. A. CARLETON, General Agent.
March 21st jy25

The Colonist.

WEDNESDAY, JULY 10, 1889.

PASSENGERS.

Per Str. OLYMPIAN, from Puget Sound.—W Hayward, A S Pierson, W R Mackenzie, Mrs J C Barker, two sons and daughter, Miss H Warner, Mr Warner, H Waltz, A McKean, S H Rowland, H E Platt, F Thompson, B Z Holmes and wife, Mrs H A Wallace, Mrs May Francis, A J Jameson, B Grophy, H Blackstone, W H Spear, C Young, W Oliver, W O Neat, J Allen, D P Berg, A L Baldwin, M L Jones and wife L A Simon, J H Applegate, Miss A Wise, W H Holloway, Miss F Smith, W M Withcrall and wife, W Johns, W Evans, Jas Driscoll, W Bell, C H Chetsey, J Cradferry, C A Russell, W H Llewellyn, J W Coleman, Chas Cook, H M Jameson, J Henner, E Blomingdale, A E Robinson, F D Grumpson, Leila Moore, Mrs Adams, Miss Higgins, Wm T P Spitz, Miss A H Graves, Miss V Garner, Geo Willis, J Hamilton, C C Collins, G Evans, W A Bodie, Mrs Love and two children, Miss Davis, R W Bryant, T W London, M B Goldstein.

Per Str. ISLANDER, from Vancouver: W Smith, W Jones, R Rogers, Geo May, Mrs Ebert, L Fanch, C Smith, Miss Byers, Cap Thompson, M S J Hickson, Miss C Hickson, Miss A Hickson, Master Hickson, W A Russell, Geo S List, L E Lyons, Miss McCue, D A Ross, Fred Adie, R T Mizony, Capt Collis er, H Ross, J T Bligh, P Garrigan, Mr Marshall, Mrs A Mrs Vaughan, Miss Roxburgh, Mrs Bare, C H Seuff, Mrs Seuff, Miss Lee, H B Smith, F W Morse, Thos Christie, Miss J Wilson, Dr Shannon, R H Alexander, C Blackmore, A H B McGowan, E Bader, E Egeson, J Leatherdale, J McKinnon, Lizzie McLean, C Tait, J Wood, T Satchwaite, D May, Mrs Goldsmith, C Goldsmith, J Goldsmith, H D Scurvy, Miss McPherson, W Blackie, J Samuels, J E Falconer, R Falconer, F Perkins, Mrs Perkins, E Lindham, Mrs Lindham, Miss Lindham, C McDougall, Fanny Shannon, Mary Shannon, Mr and Mrs Bartolona, A J Woodhouse, Maggie Buchanan, J H Grady, C Mitchell, J Kelly, J Patterson, Geo Wyndoll, H T Myres, A C Vine, E H Bayley, Mrs Bayley, Miss Bayley, J B and Mrs Blankouff, F E Tracy, S Strong, J W Hubbell, C T Hamilton, J Champion, Mrs Champion, J L Chambers D E Hulse, Mr and Mrs Krok, Miss J Krok, A Krok, Jas Krok, C Krok, Jessie Krok, C Gargison, M Semitz, C Lamberkin, A P Salter, M E Yonka, Miss T Yonka, M Jordan Maggie Murphy, Katie Jordan, Mary Jordan, J Jordan, T Jordan, Mr and Mrs Wright, C C Abby, A Aurins, H Hamlin, Miss Roxburgh, L P Eckstein, R J Score, Mrs Score, J W Dryden, J J D Trenor, Mr and Mrs R Wilkinson, A M Roden, G F Upham, P D Pregosor.

CONSIGNEES.

Per Str. OLYMPIAN from Puget Sound—Geo T Garfield, Ames Holden Co, J Weiler, J Parker, J H Todd, Laake & Lawrence, G H Maynard, Turner Beeton & Co, Jacob Sehl, Jas Baker.

Per Str. ISLANDER, from Vancouver:—W Wilson, Lenz & Leiser, A Matthews, Langley & Co, D Spencer, B Lenz, Fell & Co, Angus & G, H Saunders, Bishop of Columbia, C Strouss, A B Gray, Ames H, Ath Iron Wks, A Holmes, C R McD & Co, E G Prior, Irving Bros, J Holland, J Peters, J H Cohen, J Sehl, J A Lemin, J E Phillips, Marvin & T, M R Smith, N P Packing Co, S Leiser, T N Hibben, Thos Earle, J J Nickson, Hain Powd Co, Dom Exp Co.

DIED.

MILLETO—In this city, on the 9th instant, of cancer, John Milleto, a native of Piedmont, Italy, aged 40 years; late a member of Harmony Lodge, No. 6, I. O. O. F., Wellington, B. C., Unity Encampment, No. 3, I. O. O. F., Wellington, and Wellington Lodge, No. 2, Knights of Pythias.

The remains will be forwarded to Wellington this morning for burial.

MCTAVISH—At New York, on the 8th inst., Duncan A. McTavish, aged 7 years.

Launches.

Marine and other work made and repaired at Victoria Machinery Depot.—SPRATT & GRAY, Rock Bay.

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PARTIES requiring Furniture of the latest designs in either English or American styles, will find it to their advantage to call on J. SEHL, 68 Government street. He has facilities for manufacturing superior to any other establishment in the province. Hardwood mantels, overmantels, office and store fittings made to order.

A Solid Fact.

THREE years ago I had liver complaint and indigestion. Nothing did me any good until I tried Burdock Blood Bitters, three bottles of which cured me. I shall use B. B. B. as my medicine. JOHN FLOYD, Bronteville, N. B. B. B. B. regulates the liver. swf

Freely Used.

MR. WM. MANN, of Ottawa, Ont., writes: I have used Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry in my family with the very best results. I recommend it to my friends and think it the best medicine in use for all summer complaints, diarrhœa, dysentery, etc. swf

New Seattle.

Look out for the sale of Lots to-day in the New Town of Seattle, B. C., on the Fraser River, at the Mission Bridge. Prices will be advanced within thirty days BOURCHIER & HIGGINS, Agents.

Baby Carriages Just Received.

A large assortment of the unrivalled Whitney carriages, with and without reversible handles. Prices as low as others of inferior quality.
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Here lies a sceptic long in doubt
If DALEY'S was the place to buy or not;
A trial ends his doubtfulness at last,
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Don't fail to call at DALEY'S, 111 Government street, and get ocular demonstration of the good value and reasonable prices of their Stationery, Brushware, Combs and Cutlery.

The Ancient Capital.

QUEBEC. I have been troubled with indigestion for the past two years and have tried many medicines without avail. I tried Burdock Blood Bitters and can say there is nothing equal to it. THOS. O'BRIEN. B. B. B. cures dyspepsia, biliousness and constipation. swf

THE highest cash prices paid for ladies and gent's new and cast-off clothing. Note: Address S. Cooness, second door from Broad street, on Johnson.

MARINE.

Tug Lottie arrived yesterday from Nanaimo with two scow loads of coal.

Barque Thomas S. Stowe is shipping a crew before sailing for Liverpool.

The steamer Isabel has resumed her trips on the east coast route.

The little steamer Spitfire was passed by the Sardonyx at Bella Bella a few days ago. All well.

Steamer Islander will enter the Esquimalt dock on Monday or Tuesday next. She is to receive her new propeller—of Glasgow make—and will have her bottom scraped and painted.

Schooner C. H. Tupper, laden with cable, arrived in Esquimalt harbor yesterday and is taking on coal for fuel. She will sail to-day for the Hawaiin Islands.

Steamer Pilot returned to port yesterday afternoon, after having towed bark Gen. Fairchild to sea, coal laden from East Wellington for San Francisco. The Pilot left again at 6 p. m. for Departure Bay, to tow the ship Glory of the Seas to sea.

MOTHERS who have delicate children can see them daily improve in flesh and strength by giving them that perfect food and medicine, *Scott's Emulsion of Cod Liver Oil with Hypophosphites*. Dr. W. A. Hulbert, of Salisbury, Ills., says: "I have used Scott's Emulsion in cases of Scrofula and Debility. Results most gratifying. My little patients take it with pleasure." Sold by all druggists. 50c. and $1 00

Victoria Art Emporium.

The latest works of art and all kinds of pictures, mirrors, mouldings, etc., constantly on hand. JOS. SOMMER, Government st. my5-6m

LOCAL AND PROVINCIAL.

Coming Attractions.

Mr. Holloway, advance representative of the Matty Vickers company, passed through the city yesterday on his way to Vancouver. His company, after visiting Vancouver, will play a one night engagement at The Victoria. Goldstein's Chicago Comedy Company is also heading this way, and will appear here very shortly.

Kind Charity.

Steward Garland, of the Royal Hospital, wishes to acknowledge with thanks the following contributions to the institution:—

Mrs. Thomas Wilson—Quantity of linen.

Lewis Lewis—Parcel of clothing.

Young Bros.—One cwt. potatoes.

E. G. Prior—Basket of vegetables.

Boating Pleasures.

Our local boatmen who swelter by the waters of the harbor from 8 a. m. to 7 p. m., are amply compensated nowadays by the custom that they receive after the latter hour. On Monday and last night the Gorge was thronged with residents of the city anxious to obtain the welcome breezes and pleasant recreation that rowing on that beautiful sheet of water affords.

Seattle's Municipal Election.

The municipal elections at Seattle on Monday resulted in the re-election of Mayor Moran by a majority of 553 over his opponent, Haller. R. B. Albertson was elected city attorney, J. C. Mitchell was again elected chief of police, defeating Butterfield, recently appointed by the council when Mitchell was dismissed. The councilmen elected are Harry White, U. R. Niesz, J. S. Wallingford and George W. Hall. The successful candidates were serenaded in the evening after the result was announced.

The Teachers' Exams.

The examinations at the Legislative Hall were continued yesterday, when the candidates were examined in the morning in arithmetic and in the afternoon in writing and reading. Previous to starting the work of the day, Mr. Superintendent Pope gave those present some sterling advice as to the manner of working at their papers, and explained fully the rules and regulations under which the exam. is being conducted. So far, the papers presented are excellent and eminently suited to the test that the candidates are undergoing.

City Police Court.

Hon. A. N. Richards, P.M., presiding in this court yesterday, fined George Fullford $5 for an infraction of the streets by-law. C. F. R. Olivere and William Henry Guthrie, both of "C" Battery, were charged with assaulting Officer Lindsay while the latter was in the discharge of his duty. The evidence of the policeman was taken, and the case remanded until to-day to enable the accused to procure counsel. The much-adjourned case of McCulloch vs. the Steamer Boscowitz was again brought forward and further remanded until to-day.

Daughters of Rebekah.

At the regular meeting of Colfax Lodge, Daughters of Rebekah, held last evening, the following officers elect were duly installed by P. G. M. Meldram and the officers of the Grand Lodge I. O. O. F.:—N. G. Sr. Miss S. Neil, V. G. Sr. Miss A Carne, Rec. Sec. Miss A. Huxtable, Fin. Sec. Sr. Miss J. Carne, Treas. Mrs. J. Meldram. Appointed officers:—R. S. N. G. Sr. Mrs. Dale, L. S. N. G. Sr. Mrs. Taylor, R. S. V. G. Bro. Church, L. S. V. G. Sr. A. Gosnell, Warden Bro. M. McCahill, Condr. Bro. Holland, O. G. Bro. W. H. Huxtable, I. G. Bro. J. Pope, Chaplain Sr. Mrs. Stratford.

Victoria Rifle Association.

At a meeting of the Victoria Rifle Association, held last evening, the range committee reported that through the kindness of Mr. H. Henly, of Clover Point, the old range will again be available for practice to all members of the association. It is intended to hold a first practice on Saturday next. The new association starts with a large membership, and, already offers of prizes have been made, notably, Pemock & Clayton, who offer a silver cup, to be competed for at the first meeting. The entrance fee has been fixed at $2.50, and the annual subscription at $1, which ought to ensure a very large patronage.

Obituary.

John Milleto, of Nanaimo, died in this city yesterday, at St. Joseph's hospital. Deceased was a native of Turin, Italy, but had resided in this province for many years. He was a member of Harmony Lodge of Wellington, No. 6, Wellington Lodge No. 2, Knights of Pythias, and of Unity encampment No. 3, I. O. O. F. The remains will be forwarded to Wellington this morning for interment.

Adam Marcaus of "C" Battery, died at 9 o'clock yesterday morning after a short illness. The deceased will be buried with military honors on Thursday morning.

Cannery Burned.

Kirkwood, Wyman & Co's cannery, on Five-Mile Point, near Seattle, was burned on Sunday. The cannery, which was unoccupied, burned down in less than an hour. The loss is $40,000. The cannery was constructed two years ago, and when it was all ready for operation it was burned down. Within thirty days it was rebuilt at a cost of $37,000. The owners, Messrs. Kirkwood and Patten, are at Portland. They were making arrangements to start up the cannery next month. Indians who were blackberrying in the vicinity state that they saw three men land from a canoe with a can of coal oil, approach the cannery and scatter the oil about. The men then departed, and almost as soon as they left flames burst forth from the buildings.

The Steamer Michigan.

The steamer Michigan, chartered by the O. R. & N. Co. to run in connection with the Idaho on the Victoria-Portland route, is almost a new vessel. She was built by George L. and William Caldwell, on the Columbia river at Skamokawa in August, 1888, at a cost of $60,000. Washington territory pine and fir were the materials used in her construction. The Michigan is 160 feet in length, 36 feet beam and 13 feet depth of hold. There are twelve staterooms on the afterdeck. Each of these is provided with a single and double bed. The gross tonnage of the Michigan is 468 tons and the net 340 tons. The propeller is driven by quadruple expansion high pressure engines. The boiler is of steel 1½ inches in thickness. The average speed of the Michigan is nine miles an hour. The Michigan is commanded by C. H. Kellman, and carries a crew of 24 men.

Chas. A. Gardner in "Fatherland."

Charles A. Gardner in his new play, "Fatherland," scored an emphatic success last night. The house was packed and from the rise of the curtain to the fall, the interest was so manifest that old theatre-goers, who always make it a rule to dive after the festive clove between acts, actually forgot to leave their seats, and that in itself is great praise for the absorbing interest, bubbling comedy possessed in this truly artistic comedy "Fatherland." The acting was excellent. Gardner never appeared to better advantage and his singing of the love song, "The Lilac," was a masterpiece. The spin-stube scene brought down the house. It was natural, very natural. Gardner gave some picturesque acting with telling effect, especially in the grand situation of act 3rd. A situation never equalled in any drama now before the public. He wore some handsome dresses, particularly the one embroidered by the ladies of Innsbruck, brought over solely for this production. Gardner is a jolly comedian and a fine actor in more serious work. He certainly has won many golden opinions.—Evansville Daily Courier.

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blooming efforts for summer. As the season advances we are making our bargains better and better. This week we quote A No. 1 serge suits $5.00 each. Come and see the saving there is in them for you at this figure. CAMERON, the anxious-to-please clothing merchant, 55 Johnson street.

Victoria C. C. Entertainment.

The concert and dramatic entertainment of the Victoria cricket club takes place at the Victoria this evening. The performance commences with a concert and will conclude with the comic operetta of "Cox and Box." A crowded house is anticipated, as the programme is one of unusual excellence. Reserved seats can be had at Mr. Lombard's music store to-day.

Spiritualistic Medium.

Mrs. L. Fulton, the celebrated automatic and independent slate-writer, test and business medium, is stopping at the Clarence Hotel, and will give test and business sittings daily from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.; other hours by appointment. Developing circles Monday and Wednesday nights. Circles for physical manifestations, Tuesday and Friday nights. 31

The Summer Night Festival.

The summer night festival, concert and dance, advertised to be held at the Caledonian grounds on Saturday evening next will undoubtedly attract a large crowd, and a few very pleasant hours may be looked forward to by the public. The grounds will be illuminated, and there will be a balloon ascension and grand display of fireworks during the evening. An excellent programme of music is being rehearsed. The manager has engaged Prof. Oliver to act as floor manager on the dancing platform, and also to prompt.

The Carey License.

Hon. A. N. Richards, P. M., Mayor Grant and Ald. Harrison sat as a licensing court yesterday, and rendered their decision in the Carey application. The facts of the case are that Mr. Fox applied for a license for the premises known as the Carey Block, on Cormorant street, presenting a petition which he claimed was signed by two-thirds of the property owners and house-holders in the block and in the one directly opposite. The bench decided that Chinese property owners or house-holders should be considered as such; and the application for a license not being signed by two-thirds of the combined white and Chinese population, it was not allowable.

Mr. Carey, on permission being granted, withdrew the application, stating that it would be presented in correct form at the next sitting of the Board.

The Kootenay Canal.

Donald Truth says: "The lock on the canal at Canal Flat will be completed by the 20th. The difficulties Mr. Sinclair had to overcome in excavating for the foundation of the lock were great. Quicksand of apparently great depth and a large quantity of water had to be overcome; the latter alone requiring two steam pumps, with a capacity of 16,000 gallons a minute, to keep in control. When completed the canal will be of little practical use until the Dominion government makes an appropriation to improve the Columbia river between the upper and lower lakes. It is expected that the little steamboat now being built by Messrs. Norbury and Phillips, of Tobacco Plains, will be completed in time to make a run through the canal on the day of the opening ceremonies. Mr. T. S. Gore will accept the canal on behalf of the provincial government.

PERSONAL.

Capt. W. Norman Bole, M. P. P., is in the city.

Richard H. Alexander, of Vancouver, is at the Driard.

F. D. Little, of the Union Mines, Comox, is at the Driard.

Frank G. Richards, jr., is spending a few days in Portland.

L. P. Eckstein, of Westminster, came over last night.

A. J. McLellan arrived down from his cannery by the steamer Sardonyx yesterday.

Miss Pickard, teacher of the Cadboro school, is spending her vacation with friends in Seattle.

Wm. H. Llewelyn and wife, of Seattle, and Miss Georgie Happ, of San Francisco, are at the Driard.

Frank P. Hastings, U.S. Vice-Consul-General at Honolulu, S. I., and Mrs. Hastings are guests at the Driard.

Chas. H. Jeuff and wife, Jno. J. D. Trenor and Miss E. Lee, all of New York, are guests at the Driard..

Geo. Lizt, of the Dominion Express Co., and A. H. B. Macgowan, secretary of the Vancouver board of trade, are at the Driard.

D. F. Foe, Jr., who has been erecting cannery buildings at the Cascade Cannery, on the Nass, returned to Victoria by the Sardonyx yesterday.

Harvey M. Peterson, of St. Paul, Minn., is at the Oriental. He is at present enjoying a transcontinental trip for business and pleasure combined, and will spend several days in Victoria, before returning to his home, via the C. P. R.

Dr. Cummings, scientist and lecturer, is a guest at the Clarence. The doctor is visiting Victoria for the benefit of his health, and may possibly be induced to deliver a lecture before his departure from the city. He is spoken of as a gentleman of rare oratorical ability, and he has testimonials from the late Charles Dickens, the late Horace Greely and many other noted men.

W. W. Pinney, proprietor of the Granite Falls flouring mills, Granite Falls, Minn., is spending a few weeks among the Victorians, regaining his health, which has failed him very much of late. He cannot say too much of our health giving climate and majestic scenery, and is firmly convinced of the prosperous future which British Columbia, and more especially Victoria, has before her.

Captain Henry Roeder, who left this city on Sunday evening for his home in Whatcom, is one of the old pioneers of the Pacific coast, and has taken a prominent part in most of the innovations that the region has witnessed since its early settlement. He was the discoverer of the Schome coal mine, which he still owns a part of. When the great fire occurred in San Francisco lumber was worth $400 per 1,000 feet and the captain at once started a mill, coming to Victoria for hands. One day when engaged in pulling up a very large tree by the roots he discovered the seam of coal which has since made his fortune. In the earlier portion of his career the captain made $100 per day for several months by fishing for salmon on the Sacramento river. He is full of his experience in the early days of the Pacific Slope, and most of them are most interesting reminiscences. He was the first man to go from Olympia to Port Townsend, making the voyage in a canoe, hauling the craft across the neck by Hood's Canal to Port Townsend and thence to Bellingham Bay.

JOHN DOHERTY, GENERAL SCAVENGER

Yards, etc., cleaned. Contracts made for removing earth, etc. All orders left with Mr. G. Doughty, corner Blanchard and Fort streets, Bossi & Gosselman, Yates street, or J. Finlayson's, Government street, will be promptly attended to. *ap26-1y

Kelly's Cross, P. E. I.

KIDNEY complaint and bad stomach troubled me for years, but I was cured by taking less than one bottle of Burdock Blood Bitters. For my present good health I owe my thanks to B. B. B., writes JAMES GORMAN, Son. 6wf

HUDSON'S BAY CO.

Annual Report Submitted to the Shareholders in London Yesterday.

Following is the full text of the report of the Governor and board of directors, read before a meeting of shareholders in London, Eng., yesterday:

REPORT.

The Governor and Committee have now to submit to the Proprietors the Annual Accounts of the Company, and to state that the Furs sold in the spring of the present year realized much better prices than those of last year, the advance extending to Martens, Minks, and other fine furs, the decline in the value of which had been very marked for some years previously.

The portion of the returns of Outfit 1887, sold in 1888, realized, however, only the low prices of that year. This, together with an unusual scarcity of furs and country provisions (the latter causing much distress among the Indians in the Northern Districts), produced a less satisfactory result than otherwise might have been expected.

The Profits of Outfit 1887 exhibited by the Trading Account amount to £35,924 5s. 5d. as compared with £36,203 11s. 6d. for Outfit 1886.

The sum of £17,370 14s. 7d. is payable to the officers in terms of the Deed Poll, and in accordance with the Resolution adopted by the Shareholders in June, 1887, the officers are entitled to the further sum of £2,129 5s. 5d to make up their remuneration for outfit 1887 to £20 per share.

The Company's Marine Insurance Fund shows a satisfactory result. It will be observed that after crediting the amount of Premiums on Insurances undertaken by the Company and interest on the amount of the fund, the sum of £3,572 19s. 1d. has been transferred to the credit of Profit and Loss, the balance being the same amount as last year—namely, £50,000.

The net profit of the Company for the year ending 31st May last amount to $68,022 3s. 4d., to which must be added £44,822 6s. 5d. carried forward from last year, making a total undivided balance of £111,844 10s. 7d., out of which the Governor and Committee recommend a dividend of 15s. per share, amounting to £70,000. The amount to be carried forward after the payment of the proposed dividend is £47,844 10s. 7d.

The Governor and Committee have to report with much regret that in January last Mr. Eden Colville, owing to failing health, resigned his position as Governor of the Company, with which he had been connected for so many years.

Acting under the powers conferred by the charter, the Board elected Sir Donald A. Smith Governor, and Viscount Anson Deputy-Governor of the Company. The vacancies on the Committee caused by these changes, and the resignation of Mr. Thomas H. Newman, have been filled by the election of Mr. Walter Vaughan Morgan, of 22 Cannon street, and Mr. Thomas R. Grant, Governor of the Union Bank of London.

These elections are subject to confirmation by the shareholders at the General Court to be held in November or December next, in accordance with the provisions of the Company's Charter.

In accordance with the desire expressed by Shareholders at the last meeting of the Company, the Board have given fuller details in the Trading Account than formerly, and after consultation with Mr. Welton, the Company's Auditor, on questions relating to the Accounts under the altered circumstances, of the trade, they have given instructions to the Officers abroad to make certain changes in the mode in which the Accounts are kept at the principal Depots. It is anticipated that when these changes are carried out, still further information may be given without detriment to the interests of the Company.

The Company's Land Account, exhibiting the cash receipts and disbursements for the year ending 31st March last, shows a credit balance of £24,658 1s. 3d.

The receipts now credited for instalments and interests amount to £30,488 8s. 9d. as compared with £32,739 7s. 8d, for the year ending 30th March, 1888, while the expenses of the Land Department are nearly the same as those of the previous year, except in the item of £6,927 5s. now charged for the Company's further proportion of Survey, made by the Dominion Government, which is larger than usual and covers all arrears to the end of 1887.

Prior to the death of Mr. Bryduges, the Land Commissioner of the Company, which occurred in February last, the Board had taken steps with the view to the reduction of the controllable expenses of the Land Department. This Department is now under the supervision of Mr. J. H. Lawson, one of the Company's Officers, and the reductions referred to are being carried out, every endeavor being made to render the service more efficient.

The Sales of Farm Lands and Town Lots by the Company during the past year have been:—

Farm Lands—26,189 acres		$144,990
Town Lots—		
Winnipeg	19	$12,000
Minor Towns	133	31,024
		43,024
		$187,974

as compared with $66,390 for the year ending 30th March, 1888, and $54,585 in the previous year.

The total sales effected by the Company to the end of March last, exclusive of cancelled sales, are as follows:—

Farm Lands.		
195,150 acres		$1,156,859
Town Lots, (equal to about 4th of an acre each)		
Winnipeg	1,680	$15,756
Hat Portage	279	37,353
West Lynne	242	29,347
Portage la Prairie	104	22,581
Edmonton	494	23,272
Prince Albert	318	13,448
Fort Qu'Appelle	151	12,665
Rosemount	86	3,272
Colville	23	2,030
Elphinstone	11	720
Newdale	92	135
Millwood	10	255
Nipigon	8	405
		$2,153,999

on account of which, instalments have been received amounting to $1,747,759, leaving unpaid $406,239.

Namely:—in arrear	$169,690
not yet due	245,549
	$406,239

Payments for Farm Lands and Town Lots are generally extended over eight and five years respectively, and interest is charged on the balances remaining unpaid.

The total amount of Land in Manitoba and the North-West Territory surveyed by the Dominion Government to the close of 1888 amounted to nearly 72,600,000 acres, the proportion of which falling to the Company under the Deed of Surrender made in 1869, is about 3,630,000 acres. Irrespective of the Company's portion, the Government have granted nearly 49,000,000 acres to the Canadian Pacific and other Railway Companies for the extension of Lines, by means of which the vast resources of the Fertile Belt are being developed, and they have further disposed of 12,719,000 acres as free Homestead Grants, Pre-emptions, and sales to settlers.

A large immigration from Europe and the older Provinces of the Dominion to Manitoba and the North West Territory—a favorable season for seeding operations and the prospect of the opening up of New Districts, by the further extension of Railways—having had the effect of increasing the demand for Farm Lands during the past few months, the sales in April and May (since the accounts were closed) having been 13,341 acres for $89,118.

With the improvement in immigration and consequent demand for farms by actual settlers, it may be reasonably expected that the Sales of the Company's Lands will greatly increase, and that it will before long be the pleasing duty of your Board to resume the payment from time to time of substantial sums as return of capital.

EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL COURT.

In compliance with requisitions received from shareholders, the Board have called an Extraordinary General Court to consider the propositions set forth in the notice prefixed to this report.

As regards the proposition that the present shares be rearranged on the basis of dividing the members interest, the Board are advised that this change cannot be carried into effect without an Act of Parliament or an alteration of or supplement to the company's charter, and the Board are further advised that no application for fresh powers would be entertained, unless a clearly defined scheme were submitted, setting forth the objects and advantages to be derived from it.

The proposition to make two classes of shares, the one applicable to the fur trade, the other to the lands, is no new one. It was put forward as far back as 1871 and again in 1874, and has had the careful consideration of your Directors.

The Company, under terms of the Deed of Surrender, are entitled to one-twentieth of all the Lands which may be surveyed for settlement within fifty years from 22nd of June, 1870, in the district stretching from the Lake of the Woods westward to the Rocky Mountains—a distance of at least one thousand miles—and northward from the International Boundary in latitude 49 to the North Saskatchewan River—fully 300 miles—this territory being known as "Fertile Belt." The Company's land is not in large blocks, but in detached sections of 640 and 180 acres each in every township, at a distance of three miles approximately from each other throughout the whole extent of the above vast area.

The Company's proportion of the land surveyed up to the present time is about 3,600,000 acres, and it is impossible to say how much may be added to this, the quantity depending on the extent of the Government Surveys under the provisions of the Dominion Lands Act as agreed to by the Company. It is on this and other grounds clearly impracticable to place anything like a reliable value on the property as a whole, to which the company may be ultimately entitled.

While it may be correct, as stated in a communication dated the 25th April last, circulated among the shareholders, that the prices charged by the Canadian Government, the Canada Northwest and other land companies, including the Hudson's Bay Company, range from $2 50 per acre upwards, it must be borne in mind that the land thus disposed of is situated chiefly within easy distance of the railways, in most cases from one to fifteen miles on either side of them, while, as above stated, the great bulk of the company's land lies so far away from railway connection and from roads of any description that it is at the present moment virtually unsaleable.

In connection with the statements in paragraph 4 of the circular referred to, that the value of the company's lands has steadily risen, and that the dividends mainly govern the price of the shares, it must be recollected that 1880, 1881, 1882, and 1883, was a period of extravagant speculation in Farm Lands and Town Lots in Manitoba and the North-West Territory, during which prices became inflated to a fabulous extent, and that it was from the proceeds of sales while that "boom," as it was called, lasted, that the return of Capital to the extent of £400,000 was made. This state of things, irrespective of the fluctuations in the Fur trade profits, accounts for the extraordinary rise in the prices of the shares at that time, and for the subsequent inevitable decline.

The remedy proposed as a preventative of fluctuation in the price of the Company's Shares (that of having two classes of shares), appears to your Directors to be fallacious in the extreme in the case of this Company, as it is self-evident that no substantial benefit could be derived by merely splitting up the Shares into two separate classes. On the contrary, your directors are of opinion that the change would result in grave injury to the best interests of the Company. By placing a fictitous value on the lands, the danger would be incurred, not only of greatly increased taxation—an item even now very onerous—but also of increased speculative fluctuation in the price of the shares. To this must be added the possibility of complications, resulting in conflicting interests between the two classes of shareholders and in serious embarrassment to the company.

Altogether, your Directors, after giving the subject their most earnest consideration, can arrive at no other conclusion than that it would be unwise to alter the character of the shares as at present constituted, and, being so impressed they cannot recommend the adoption of the proposition.

The second proposition offered for consideration suggests an alteration in the by-laws to enable any shareholder to inspect the register of shares and to obtain copies or extracts therefrom. It may, however, be pointed out that, on application, shareholders have hitherto obtained from the company lists of the members, with their addresses, but not their holdings, as given by companies under the Limited Liability Acts. The Board see no good object to be obtained in making the proposed change, and do not advise its adoption.

They cannot recommend the adoption of the third proposition, under which no Shareholder would be eligible for election as a Member of the Board, unless he had held his qualification for at least six months before the date of his nomination. The proposed restriction might have the effect of excluding from the board, gentlemen specially fitted for the duties, either by reason of their intimate knowledge of the Country in which the Company's business is mainly conducted, or of other desirable qualifications.

In conclusion your Directors wish to assure the Shareholders that while they are unable to recommend the adoption of the above propositions, they will at all times readily co-operate in any measures which they can conscientiously regard as for the true interests of the Company.

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